

IN THE CLAIMS:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Listing Of Claims:

Please amend the claims as follows:

1. (Currently Amended) A job execution control apparatus, comprising:
- execution means for executing a plurality of jobs in a parallel manner;
- setting means for setting a pause condition of a job ~~which is directed to a pausing~~
job;
- store means for storing the pause condition set by the setting means;
- pause means for making an execution of ~~such a job~~ at least one of the plurality of
jobs satisfying the pause condition pause independent of the remaining plurality of jobs
in response to a predetermined event;
- a display ~~means~~ for displaying the pausing jobs made to pause by the pausing
means; and
- specifying means for specifying at least one job among the pausing displayed
jobs displayed on the display; and
- ~~wherein the job execution control apparatus is configured for executing a plurality~~
~~of jobs in a parallel manner and is further configured for pausing at least one of the~~
~~plurality of jobs independent of the remaining plurality of jobs.~~

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2. (Original) The job execution control apparatus as set forth in claim 1, further comprising means for stopping the specified job.

3. (Original) The job execution control apparatus as set forth in claim 1, further comprising means for restarting the specified job.

4. (Original) The job execution control apparatus as set forth in claim 1, wherein the condition of the job which is directed to the pausing job is specified by a kind of the job.

5. (Original) The job execution control apparatus as set forth in claim 1, wherein the condition of the job which is directed to the pausing job is specified by a parameter of the job.

6. (Presently Amended) The job execution control apparatus as set forth in claim 1, wherein the ~~pausing job displaying means~~ display displays only the pausing job.

7. (Presently Amended) The job execution control apparatus as set forth in claim 1, wherein the ~~pausing job displaying means~~ display displays jobs other than the pausing job.

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8. (Original) The job execution control apparatus as set forth in claim 1, wherein the predetermined event is an instruction input operation of a user.

9. (Original) The job execution control apparatus as set forth in claim 1, further comprising means for setting an additional condition under which the job pauses in addition to the condition set by the condition setting means.

10. (Original) The job execution control apparatus as set forth in claim 9, wherein the additional condition is defined by such a fact as to whether the job corresponds to a background job, or a foreground job.

11. (Currently Amended) A job execution control apparatus comprising:
execution means for executing a plurality of jobs in a parallel manner;
store means for storing a first condition satisfied by a job which is stopped without any restriction in response to a predetermined event and a second condition satisfied by a job which pauses in response to the predetermined event;
stop means for stopping the job satisfying the first condition in response to the predetermined event;
pause means for making ~~the job~~ an execution of at least one of the plurality of jobs satisfying the second condition pause independent of the remaining plurality of jobs in response to the predetermined event;
a display means for displaying at least the pausing job the pausing jobs made to pause by the pause means; and

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means for designating at least one job from the ~~displayed~~ pausing jobs ~~displayed~~
~~on the display~~ to stop, or restart the designated job[[:]]

~~wherein the job execution control apparatus is configured for executing a plurality~~
~~of jobs in a parallel manner and is further configured for pausing at least one of the~~
~~plurality of jobs independent of the remaining plurality of jobs.~~

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12. (Withdrawn)

13. (Currently Amended) A job execution control apparatus according to claim
1, comprising: wherein the predetermined event is an operation of a predetermined key
provided on a portion except for the display

~~display means provided with a touch panel function, for displaying information~~
~~related to one job that is being executed;~~

~~means for displaying a button for instructing a stop of the one job on the display~~
~~means;~~

~~means for stopping the one job when a touch operation is carried out with~~
~~respect to the displayed button;~~

~~a predetermined key provided on a portion except for the display means;~~

~~means for storing a condition of a job which is directed to a pausing job; and~~

~~means for making the job which satisfies the condition pause when the~~
~~predetermined key is operated; and~~

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~~wherein the job execution control apparatus is configured for executing a plurality of jobs in a parallel manner and is further configured for pausing at least one of the plurality of jobs independent of the remaining plurality of jobs.~~

14. (Cancelled)

15. (Currently Amended) A job execution control apparatus comprising:
according to claim 1, wherein the store means further stores an attribute of a job which is directed to a pausing job

~~means for storing an attribute of a job which is directed to a pausing job;~~

~~means for making a job having the stored attribute pause in response to a predetermined event;~~

~~means for displaying the pausing job; and~~

~~means for stopping at least one job among the displayed jobs; and~~

~~wherein the job execution control apparatus is configured for executing a plurality of jobs in a parallel manner and is further configured for pausing at least one of the plurality of jobs independent of the remaining plurality of jobs.~~

16. (Currently Amended) A job execution control apparatus comprising
according to claim 1, further comprising:

~~means for storing a condition of a job which is directed to a pausing job;~~

~~means for making the stored job pause in response to a predetermined event;~~

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means for notifying at least an identifier of the pausing job to an instruction apparatus; and

means for stopping at least one job instructed by the instruction apparatus among the pausing jobs; and

~~wherein the job execution control apparatus is configured for executing a plurality of jobs in a parallel manner and is further configured for pausing at least one of the plurality of jobs independent of the remaining plurality of jobs.~~

17. (New) A job execution control apparatus according to claim 1,
wherein the display is provided with a touch panel function for displaying information related to one job that is being executed.

18. (New) A document processing job execution control apparatus,
comprising:

means for executing a plurality of document processing jobs including a copy job, a print job, and a facsimile job in a parallel manner;

setting means for setting a pause condition of a job except for a facsimile job;

store means for storing the pause condition set by the setting means;

pause means for making an execution of a document processing job satisfying the pause condition pause in response to a predetermined event;

a display for displaying the pausing jobs made to pause by the pausing means;

specifying means for specifying at least one job among the pausing jobs displayed on the display, and

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stop means for stopping the specified job specified by the specifying means.

19. (New) A document processing job execution control apparatus comprising:

means for executing a plurality of document processing jobs including a copy job, a print job, and a facsimile job in a parallel manner;

setting means for setting a pause condition of a job except for a facsimile job;

store means for storing a first condition satisfied by a job which is stopped without any restriction in response to a predetermined event and a second condition satisfied by a job which pauses in response to the predetermined event;

stop means for stopping the job satisfying the first condition in response to the predetermined event;

pause means for making an execution of a document processing job satisfying the second condition pause in response to a predetermined event;

a display for displaying the pausing jobs made to pause by the pausing means; and

specifying means for specifying at least one job among the pausing jobs displayed on the display, wherein the stop means stops the job specified by the specifying means.

20. (New) A document processing job execution control apparatus according to claim 18, wherein the store means further stores an attribute of a job which is directed to a pausing job.

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21. (New) A job execution method comprising the steps of:

executing a plurality of jobs in a parallel manner;

making an execution of at least one of the plurality of jobs satisfying a predetermined pause condition pause independent of the remaining plurality of jobs in response to a predetermined event;

displaying the pausing jobs;

specifying at least one job among the displayed jobs; and

stopping the specified job.

22. (New) A job execution method comprising the steps of:

executing a plurality of jobs in a parallel manner;

stopping a job satisfying a predetermined first condition in response to a predetermined event;

making an execution of at least one of the plurality of jobs satisfying a predetermined second condition pause independent of the remaining plurality of jobs in response to the predetermined event;

displaying at least the pausing job;

specifying at least one job among the displayed jobs; and

stopping the specified job.

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